

Title (en)

EFFICIENT SERVICE FUNCTION CHAINING OVER A TRANSPORT NETWORK

Title (de)

EFFIZIENTE VERKETTUNG VON DIENSTFUNKTIONEN ÜBER EIN TRANSPORTNETZWERK

Title (fr)

ENCHAÎNEMENT DE FONCTIONS DE SERVICE EFFICIENT À TRAVERS UN RÉSEAU DE TRANSPORT

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2016045710A1] For allowing a flexible and fine-grained SFC steering over a transport network without adaptation of said network a method for operating a network, especially an IP network, is claimed, wherein at least one service function chain, SFC, comprising several service functions, SFs, is implemented for providing traffic steering, wherein traffic steering information related to the at least one SFC is encoded. The method is characterized in that redundant information in an addressing scheme of network hosts is used for addressing the SFs. Further, an according network is claimed, preferably for carrying out the above mentioned method.

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